

*(f) This subsection applies only to the counties of Cass, Ector, Garza, Smith, Bexar, Harris, and Webb. The office of County Surveyor in the county is abolished on January 1, 1990, if at the statewide election at which the addition to the Constitution of this subsection is submitted to the voters, a majority of the voters of that county voting on the question at that election favor the addition of this subsection. If the office of County Surveyor is abolished in a county under this subsection, the powers, duties, and functions of the office are transferred to the county officer or employee designated by the Commissioners Court of the county in which the office is abolished, and the Commissioners Court may from time to time change its designation as it considers appropriate.*

SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the voters at an election to be held on November 7, 1989. The ballot shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to abolish the office of county surveyor in Cass, Ector, Garza, Smith, Bexar, Harris, and Webb counties."

Adopted by the Senate on April 13, 1989, by the following vote: Yeas 29, Nays 0; and that the Senate concurred in House amendments on May 28, 1989, by the following vote: Yeas 28, Nays 0. Adopted by the House, with amendments, on May 26, 1989, by the following vote: Yeas 134, Nays 5.

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## S.J.R. No. 24

### SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing a constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds for acquiring, constructing, or equipping corrections institutions, youth corrections institutions, statewide law enforcement facilities, and mental health and mental retardation institutions.

*Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:*

SECTION 1. Article III, Section 49-h, of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

*(c)(1) The legislature may authorize the issuance of up to \$400 million in general obligation bonds, in addition to the amount authorized by Subsection (a) of this section, and use the proceeds of the bonds for acquiring, constructing, or equipping new corrections institutions, mental health and mental retardation institutions, youth corrections institutions, and statewide law enforcement facilities and for major repair or renovation of existing facilities of those institutions.*

*(2) The provisions of Subsection (a) of this section relating to the review and approval of bonds and the provisions of Subsection (b) of this section relating to the status of the bonds as a general obligation of the state and to the manner in which the principal and interest on the bonds are paid apply to bonds authorized under this subsection.*

SECTION 2. This proposed amendment shall be submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 7, 1989. The ballot shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds for projects relating to facilities of corrections institutions, youth corrections institutions, and mental health and mental retardation institutions and for the expansion of statewide law enforcement facilities."

Adopted by the Senate on April 12, 1989, by the following vote: Yeas 27, Nays 0; and that the Senate concurred in House amendment on May 28, 1989, by the following vote: Yeas 28, Nays 0. Adopted by the House, with amendment, on May 26, 1989, by the following vote: Yeas 141, Nays 2, one present not voting.

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